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TITLE OF INVENTION: FREQUENCY MEASURING CIRCUIT AND RESONANT PRESSURE SENSOR TYPE DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE/PRESSURE TRANSMITTER USING THE FREQUENCY MEASURING UNIT

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